FLORICULTURAL SHOW .- The exhibition of the Society, as mentioned in yesterday's Star. is now open and will be continued during today and to-morrow, until 10 o'clock in the evening. We gave an account of the principal contributions vesterday, but we notice since then that other articles have been placed on exhibition. Among these is a beautiful design of flowers, by Mrs. Alice R. Varden, in-closed in one of Ward's hermetically sealed glass cases, which latter are used for transporting plants from one country to another, so that the flowers enclosed will retain their freshness for a long period of time. Mr. T. Blagden is a contributor of some beautiful vases of flowers, and of a magnificent sample of beets. Some astonishingly large rhubarb. grown from imported seed, is contributed by Mr. J Slater, of Va. Mr. John Thos. Thornton contributes some handsome bouquets .-There is every convenience for visitors, and refreshments can be had, consisting of ice-creams, strawberries, lemonade, soda water, &a. The committee will meet to-day to decide upon the merits of the articles offered for com-

THE NORTHERN LIBERTIES' ENGINE HOUSE. Some time ago, it will be remembered, the engine house of the above named fire company, itnated in the Northern Liberties, in the vicialty of the market house, was considerably damaged by fire, the whole of the roof having been destroyed, as well as the upper portion of the building. Although some time has elapsed since the calamity, and although the subject of repairing the same has been brought before the Councils, and a bill reported to one of the Boards on the matter, it still remains pending, no final action being taken; and this while the time is frittered away on useless discussions, or only informal meetings held.

The consequence is, that the fire engine is exposed to much injury, lying in the dilapidated engine house, exposed to the wet, and will soon be entirely rusted and the metal work corroded by the action of the weather on the half burnt ashes under which it lies buried. Such false economy as this cannot be too much censured. There must be a place to keep the engine in, and the sooner that a new house is built or the present one repaired, the better it

June's Circus .- In these dull, piping times of peace, and away from the excitement of Boston riots, and Russo-Turkish campaigns, we should be likely to stagnate, notwithstand ing the approaching municipal elections, if it were not for the various exhibitions that are continually presented to our notice. At this time there is a particular dearth of out-ofdoor entertainments, and we are happy, therefore, to record the approaching arrival of June's incomparable corps of equestrians, who will commence their popular equestrian feats on Wednesday next. They will bring a firstrate band with them, (Willis's,) from New York, and will show some unparalled feats of horsemanship during their temporary sojourn among us. Their stud we understand is excellent.

TISSUE PAPER ORNAMENTS .- At this season of the year we would call attention to Solon ing purchasers will find them for sale, wholesale and retail, at the only manufactory in frames; ornaments for lamps, stoves, &c.: beautiful drapery for bedsteads; fire-place ormathematical figures, for stores, offices, parlors, arbors, ball-rooms, &c.; balloons, or liberty bells, wreaths, paper flowers, &c., &c.

ATTEMPT AT MURDER. - A man of the name the jail in Fairfax county, Virginia, attempted last Sunday to shoot Mr. Stephenson, the keeper of the Poor House near Alexandria, having fired at him with a large horse pistol. Mr. Stephenson struck the pistol aside with a stick which he had brought out with him, as it was about being discharged, and the ball thus was averted from him. He then seized Beach, knocked him down, and secured him. The prisoner was brought into Alexandria and carried before Justice Hunter, who, upon hearing the evidence in the case, committed him to jail to stand his trial for this new of. Mayor's office.

THE ECLIPSE.—The following is given as the time of the commencement and end of the eclipse, at Washington, as noticed at the National Observatory, by Mr. Ferguson and Professor Keith. Mr. Ferguson observed with the lost brands, which price holders are asking this Y's and mounted on the reversing apparatus. The calculations are for Washington mean

Beginning, by Mr. Ferguson. . 4 2 37.57 End, by Mr. Ferguson. . . . 6 27 26.46 End, by Prof. Keith 27 29.64

THE WITNESSES IN THE GARDINER CASE .-The greater part of the Mexican witnesses in the Gardiner case have returned home. Their accounts for attendance and expenses, amounting, in many instances, to over a period of two years, having been settled by the Governof them the law of the United States on the tirely demolished. subject is alone regarded. Any thing beyond that, out of its jurisdiction, can only be settled by mutual agreement.

THE WEATHER -- We have been visited with a sudden and unexpected change of weather, a change to apply in another sense the words of the poet, "From Indus to the Pole," or in plain language, the mercury in the thermometer has sunk some twenty or thirty degrees; the thermometer showing to-day at 10 a m., 57 degrees as the height, whilst yester- purposes of navigation! day it must have been at least eighty or above, to judge by one's sensations.

THE AQUEDUCT AND THE LITTLE FALLS BRIDGE .- At the Committee of Conference of the two Houses yesterday, the Senate recoded from nearly all of its amendments, including those appropriating \$500,000 for the waterworks and \$75,000 for the Little Falls bridge, so that those works will be discontinued for some time to come unless appropriations for the purpose be made in some other appropriation bill, which may possibly, and we hope will be, the case. -

ANOTHER EXCURSION .- Let it be remembered that the Sabbath Schools of the F street | charity last year. and 7th street Presbyterian churches, will go on a Pic-nic to the White House on Friday next, instead of to Arlington, as was first announced The steamboat George Washington will leave 12th street at 9 o'clock, and return in the evening.

adensourg. It was supposed at the time to contain silver, but was found, upon examinatisn, to be a sulphate of iron embedded curiously in petrified wood. The specimen sent

REAL ESTATE. - There are not many bona fide sales of real estate at present; the following, however, were effected at auction a few days ago, by the auctioneers, Messrs. Green &

Lots 8 and 9 in square 373 on North I street, between 9th and 16th streets west, improved D. S. BARNES, Proprietor, 161 Broadway, N. Y. with three three-story brick houses, having atties, were sold respectively to Mr. R. G. \$726 72, being at the rate of 12; cents per

square foot. A NEW FLAG.-Just before Mr. Elliot started on his balloon ascension from Baltimore, last Monday, a gentleman came forward, and presented the companion from Baltimore, presented the companion forward, and presented the companion forward for the companion for presented the adventurous aeronaut with a

Elliot, at the period of his visit in our city. GUANO AT ALEXANDRIA.-The fine clipper ship Wild Ranger at this port, with guano,

large and motley crew composed of men of many nations, and as they were mustered for examination by the Custom House officers, the roll of strange names caused no little mirth among the by-standers. She lost one of her ine specimens. crew overboard on the passage here .- Alex-

Found.-The body of the unfortunate boy Harry Joice, who was drowned while bathing in the wheel-house of the steamer Baltimore on Sunday last, was found yesterday near the spot where the accident occurred. The evidence before the jury of inquest was, that Harry could not swim, and was holding to the wheel while in the water. his hands slipped and he sunk, and the efforts to save him were neffectual. The verdict of the jury was accidental drowning.

Incendiaries.—The frequency of fire alarms and destruction of property, reminds us of the month just previous to the last mayor's election. Seldom a night passed without an alarm of fire, and the destruction of property by in-cendiaries. We sincerely hope that the officers may succeed in capturing some of the villains now at their malicious mischief, and the Criminal Court will give them the longest term possible in the penitentiary.

SALE AT THE PERUVIAN MINISTER'S .- The sale of the handsome furniture at the residence of the Peruvian Minister, in C street, was commenced yesterday, and drew together a large and fashionable attendance of residents in our city, particularly of ladies. There was a spirited competition for the articles, many of which are very elegant, the furniture being mostly imported from the best makers of abroad. The sale was continued to-day.

POSTPONEMENT .- The guests invited to the fete champetre, which was to have been given on the 1st of June, on Mr. Pairo's grounds, near Kalorama, are informed that it is postponed on account of the weather until Monday, 5th of June.

EXCURSION POSTPONED.—Our readers will find, by referring to the advertisement, that the excursion to Mount Vernon and the White House has been postponed, on account of the weather, until to-morrow. The first boat will leave at 9 a. m , and the second at 2 p. m.

SERVED RIGHT.—Chas Donelan was arrested last night, for whipping his wife, and carried before Captain Birch. The Captain gave him lecture, in a very few words, that Donelan is not likely to forget shortly. Donelan was sent to jail this morning.

FIRE .- A fire broke out about half past 11 clock last night, in a stable in the Fifth Ward, which, with two horses, a coach, &c., was destroyed. The stable was in charge of a colored hackman named Beckett, who sustains a severe loss. This is another incendiary act.

WATCH RETURNS. - Enos Roegbe, sleeping in the market house; dismissed. Wm. Flinn, drunk and disorderly; work house 30 days .-Catharine Vergal, colored, do. do.

GEORGETOWN CORRESPONDENCE.

GEORGETOWN, May 31, 1854.

Owing to the very inclement state of the weather this morning, the Methodist Sabbath school excursion was postponed until next Friday morning. The same boat is expected to be had, and the time and place of starting the same as heretofore mentioned. This unforseen Beale's tissue paper ornaments, of which he disappointment caused much regret to the juis the inventor and sole proprietor. Intend- veniles, a large number of whom were assembled at the church at an early hour, equipt the country. No. 270 north Gay street, Balti- for the occasion. Their hopes of fun and pleamore. They comprise, in various patterns and sure, however, was soon nipped in the bud by ing is the result produced. The object of vision seen colors, figured paper for mirrors and picture their superintendent informing them that the through the Stereoscope is no longer a picture; i trip has been postponed until the above named has all the lineaments, and peculiarities, and prestime. Some took a philosophical view of the naments; elegantly fringed shawl pieces, matter, and concluded that it was all for the circular, angular, parallelogram, and other best, while others, particularly the young misses, took it in high dudgeon. Agreeable to adjournment, our City Coun-

cils assembled, last night, to receive the report of the committee of conference, which was at pointed to consider several disputed articles in of George Beach, who recently broke out of our reformed City Charter. The committee agreed to strike out of the list of Corporation officers, heretofore named to be elected by the people, Clerk of the Corporation and Collector of Taxes, and retained Recorder. Clerk of the Market, and Assessors. The report of the committee was adopted by both Boards, and the Charter perfected, and an order passed directing the Mayor to submit it to the voters of the town for their decision, on Monday, June 12th. Printed copies of the Charter may be had by those who may desire to make themselves acquainted with its provisions at the

Great complaint is made by our citizens of the high rates demanded by the cart and draymen. Their charges are looked upon as exorbitant, and it would be well if they would reconsider their action. Flour sold yesterday at \$8 50, for superior

contact with the west transit, lifted from its morning; 500 barrels sold. Wheat, white and red, \$1 90a\$2. Corn, yellow, 73 cents; white, 75 cents. We continue to receive the most glowing ac-

counts of the gowing wheat crops from the farmers of Maryland and Virginia. All agree in the opinion, unless some unforeseen acci dent shall befall it, that the coming harvest will be unusually heavy.

A very severe tornado occurred on the 16th inst., originating in Missou. ri, and crossing Illinois. Log houses were lifted from their foundations and ment. As a matter of course, in the payment scattered in the air, and barns were en-

The Picayune says the general health of New Orleans continues excellent. Even among those most experienced and least provident, there is very little sickness or mortality.

The editor of the Cincinnati Commercial says he never drinks brandy ex cept when all the water is required for Eclipse pudding and Nebraska sauce

were served up at the City Hotel, Pittsburg, on Friday. The editor of the St. Louis News

saw a train of ten wagons from Illinois, bound for Nebraska, on the 18th inst. The bay of St. John's is said to be

the best ocean harbor on the North American continent. In Paris, one out of every sixteen

persons was a subject for government There were 359 deaths in the city | The Star Chamber (complete) by Ainsworth

of New York last week.

"Uncle Ned had no hair on the top of his head, In the place where the hair ought to grow." MINERALOGICAL SPECIMEN. - A curious spe- But he lived previous to the discovery of Lyon's celcimen of mineralogy has been laid upon our brated Kathairon, which not only preserves and feet below the surface, while making a well beautifies, but restores the hair to any period of at Riversdale, on Mr. Calvert's farm, near life. Only those who will not try it, are troubled with baldness, dandruff, or harsh and unpleasant

From the Home Journal, N. Y. "No article ever acquired so rapid celebrity and to us for inspection is very curious, and worthy universal appreciation as Lyen's Kathairon. To those who have used it (and who has not) the reason is obvious, as its invigorating and beautifying effects, and agreeable Perfume, stamp it an indispensable article of the toilet."

Sold at the eld price of 25 cents, in large bottles,

SPLENDID PICTURES -Those of our readers who Hyatt and Mr. J. W. Coombs for \$2,275 each.
Lot 4, square 788, unimproved, containing 5.8131 feet, was sold to Mr. B. F. Dyer, for specimens of the new art of Daga recotyping in Oil, which for beauty and excellence are incomparable. There is a portrait executed, in this last style, of President Pierce, that reflects great credit on the

handsomely worked flag, the national colors, Books and Newspapers as fast as published. He from the ladies of the Seventh Ward of Wash- is agent for Harper's and all the other Magazines, ington. This was done to replace the flag and our readers will always find a large and good as which some time ago was stolen from Mr. sortment of Blank Books and Stationery at his Bookstore, Odeon Building, corner of 4% street and Pennsylvania avenue.

READER, would you not like to send your Daguerrectype to some absent friend? If so, call at from Callao, was hauled into her berth, at Adams's Metropolitan Gallery, and there you can Fowle's wharf, on Sunday last. She has a precure a superb miniature for a trifling sum, inserted in a fine case, which can be sent to any part of the United States for 12 cents, by mail. Splendid Stereoscopic portraits made daily for 5 and \$6. Deguerreotypes in fine cases from \$1 upwards. No 50 cent pictures made at this Gallery. Call and exam-

COL. PREMONT. Is now engaged in another Exploring Expedition to the Pacific. C.S. Emerson has long been engaged in exploring BALD HEADS, and has at length brought before the Public a Compound, which is a POSITIVE OURS FOR BALDNESS, and to prevent Hair from falling, which thousands who have used will

testify. See Circulars, to be had of the Agents, giving particulars. Price \$1.00 in large Bottles.
Sold by all Druggists in Washington and George-town, D. C. Z. D. GILMAN, General Agent, for Washington and surrounding country.

C. E. FISHER & CO. Proprietors,
No. 47 Superior Street. Cleveland, O.

SMITH'S DYSPERSIA CORDIAL -This delicious empound is offered as a positive cure in all cases of Dyspepsia, or derangement of the Digestive organs. Certificates of extraordinary cures accompany each pottle. It is entirely vegetable and free from any deleterious substance. For sale by Z. D. GILMAN and at Brown's Hotel, Washington, and wholesale and retail by Dr. SMITH, 18 and 20 South 12th st., Philadelphia. may 9-tf

A. Baldwin, at his factory, corner of 3d st. and Indiana avenue is prepared to fill all orders for Doors, Sash, Blinds, Mouldings, &c.
Turning in wood, such as Balusters, and Newels. Scroll sawing for builders, Cabinet and Coach

A large quantity of the above articles on hand Also, a lot of second hand Store Fixtures, Count ers, Drawers, Shelving, &c. ap 4-003m

UNRIVALLED SUCCESS OF FASTMAN'S HEAD-ACHE REMEDY.—See certificates of the magical cures by his wonderful remedy of mi listers, lawyers, ladies and Doctors, at GILMAN'S Drug Store, near Browns'

A most beautiful, choice, and varied assort ment of fresh Spring and Summer Clothing has just been opened by Noah Walker & Co., proprietors of the celebrated Marble Hall Clothing Emporium.— Our citizens, as well as straugers, should, by all means give them a trial, as their goods are made up in the very best manner and most fashionable style. Their stock consists of full dress and business suits, ine black and colored Cloth frock and dress Coats, rich Vestings, &c., with a selection of Furnishing Goods not surpassed in the city for beauty and style.

Particular care and attention has been paid to the Boys' and Youths' Department. Their prices are uniformly low, and we say to one

and all, call on them before purchasing elsewhere. It should be universally known—for its strictly true—that indiges ion is the parent of a large proportion of the fatal diseases. Dysentery, diarrhoea, cholera morbus, liver complaint, and many other diseases enumerated in the city inspector's weekly catalogue of deaths, are generated by indigestion alone. Think of that dyspeptics! think of it all who suffer from disordered stomachs, and if you are willing to be guided by advice, founded upon experience, resort at once (don't delay a day) to Hoofland's German Bitters, prepared by Dr. C. M. Jackson, which, as an alterative, curative, and invigorant, stands alone and unapproached. We have tried the Bitters; and knew that that they are excellent for the diseases specified above. For sale by dealers in medicine everywhere.

NEURALGIA.—This formidable disease, which seems to baffle the skill of physicians, yields like magic to Carter's Spanish Mixture.

Mr. F. Boyden, formerly of the Astor House, New York, and late proprietor of the Exchange Hotel, at Richmond, Va, is one of the hundreds who have been cured of severe Neuralgia, by Carter's Span-Since his cure, he has recommended it to numbers

of others who were suffering with nearly every form of disease, with the most wonderful success. He says it is the most extraordinary medicine has ever seen used, and the very best blood purifier

* See advertisement in another column.

THE STEREOSCOPE .- This beautiful instrumentand wenderful as beautiful—has been seized upon by the Daguerreotypists, simplified, and put before the public for general adoption. On viewing the application of it to Daguerreoype pictures it is hard ence of the living subject, only less in size. The completeness with which this is done must be seen to be believed. The only place that we know of in the city where Stereoscopic Daguerreotypes can be procured is Whitehurst's, on Pennsylvania avenue. The world is indebted to Professor WHEATSTONE for this beautiful invention, which equals, in fact, what we only read of in the fabulous miracles of Friar The beautiful Daguerreotypes described above,

are daily sold at WHITEHURST'S GALLERY, Penusylvania avenue near 41% street. MARRIED.

On the evening of the 30th instant, by the Rev. Alfred Holmead, ANTHONY BUCHLY to Miss ELIZABETH J. MARTIN, all of this city. [Accompanying this notice, was a large slice of wedding cake for the editors of the Star.]

THREE-PLY SHIRT COLLARS, warranted I to fit well. For sale at LAMMOND'S, 7th st.

NICHOLAS CALLAN, NOTARY PUBLIC. And Commissioner of Dreds, For the States of LOUISIANA, FLORIDA,

INDIANA, NEW YORK. WISCONSIN, PENNSYLVANIA. ALABAMA, TEXAS, MARYLAND. MISSOURY, VIRGINIA. оню, MISSISSIPPI, GEORGIA. KENTICKY. MICHIGAN. Office on F, between 14th and 15th sts., Washing ton, D. C.

may 29-3t* TEW MUSIC received this week -Ida Polka, Ingomar Polka, Pattie Polka, Fantasie on Jor dan's Hard Road to Travel; The Elves, consisting of variations on "Thou art Gone from my Gaze;" Grand Russian March variations; Golden Ring Waltzes; This Darkies' Heart is Sad; Few Days, and in addition to a variety of standard and popular Music; violin, guitar, flute, accordeon, and other kind of JOHN F. ELLIS, may 30 Penn av., between 9th and 10th sts.

FANS-FANS-FANS. TUST received a full assortment of the above artieles 20 necessary to the comfort of all; together with a fine lot of French FLOWERS, Bonnet Ribands, Craps of all colors. A first rate a sertment of Hostery of all sizes and patterns, Gloves of every description, twisted silk Mitts, black dotted Silk, for veils, the dots not stuck on. Black Lace Falls—

Crape, Silk, Talle, and Straw Hats, selling at the unusual low prices at WM. P. SHEDD'S. may 30-'f 11th street, above Pa. avenue.

FANNY PERN'S NEW BOOK.-Secon

r series of Fern Leaves, composed of entirely new matter. This second offering of her Leaves is de cidedly superi r to any thing which has yet issued from her spirited pen.

Lady Bulwer's new book, Behind the Scene. This work is very brilliant and wonderful ability is displayed in almost every page.

The Podd Family, one of Lever's funniest speci

mens of inimitable humor and satire. Graham's Magazine for June. All the New Books and Magazines received as fas s published, and for sale at

JOK SHILLINGTON'S Bookstore, Odeon Building, corner 4 % street and Penn.

NICKERBUCKER MAGAZINE household Words for June Godey's I ady's Book do Fern Leaves (second series) by Fanny Fern The Dodd Family Abroad, a new work, by Lever Blackwood's Magazine for May Received and for sale at BUCKINGHAM'S

National Periodical Depot, National Hotel.

ESTABROOK & MARSH, MANUFACTURERS and Wholesale Dealers in to the care and comfort of those who favor him; it BROOMS, PAINTED BUCKETS, CEDAR being his determination to secure fleet and gentle WARE, BRUSHES, FRENCH WILLOW WARE, MATS, CORDAGE, TWINES, WICKS, MATCHES, BLACKING, &c.

being his determination to secure neet and gently horses, and a well planned vehicle for their benefit. TIME: I eave Washington at 8½ a. m. and 4½ p. m. Leave Bladensburg and Ellaville at 7 a. m. and Baltimore, Md. may 29-3m

115 Lombard, between Light and Charles street, may 29—3m

L'ANS in great variety and at low prices for sale may 30-8t

BLACK BRACELETS and Neck Laces for sale very cheap, at LAMMOND'S, 7th st. may 80—St

MORE NEW GOODS. WE are now opening a choice lot of Summer Goods, in part of, viz: A large lot of Si ks, of all kinds, some first rate :

Plain plaid and figured Bereges will leave their name and residence at Dr. Butt s Drug Store, corner of Pennsylvania ave. and 12th Plain plaid and figured Silk Grenadines Plain striped and figured Berege Delains, at 121 st., and the reach will call for them. cents, worth 25 cents Organdy Muslins and Organdy Robes NOW IS THE TIME 4,000 yards 4-4 Lawns at 6 4 cents, worth 12% cents 4,000 do 44 do at 12 % cents, worth 25 cents

Silk and Lace Mantillas 50 pieces fine and medium Swiss Muslins do plaid and striped do white Cambrics 75 do plaid Cambries 50 do Nansook Muslins Hosiery of all kind

500 Parasols, new styles 500 Bonnets, new shapes 500 pieces Bonnet Ribands Men's and Boy's wear, of all kinds A large lot of Domestics, of all kinds 50 pieces colored Mattings 60 pieces white Mattings Three-ply and Ingrain Carpets All those wishing to purchase goods cheaper than

at a great sacrifice.

may 20-3taw3wif. THE EXPLOSION AT OREGON.—Charles Gardiner, formerly of this city, was among those wounded by the explosion of the steamer Gazelle, near Oregon city, Oregon territory, on the 3d of April. His arm was broken, and he was slightly scalded, but at last accounts was doing well.

All Now is the time.—The display of daguerreo-types daguerreo-types daguerreo-types at PLUMB'S GALLERY, Pennsylvania avenue, is truly magnificent. The proprietor is doing a handsome business, and hundreds are delighted with the splendid pictures they obtain there. Let it be duly remembered and patronized. Enterprise with genius deserves support, and what is gratifying, always attains it. This accounts for the success of Plumb's Gallery. Cameo Daguerreotypes taken in all weathers.

All importing and casting in every style, some types at PLUMB'S.

All importing and casting in every style, some to find most superior and fashionable GOLD to the superior and fashionable gold t FINE GOLD WATCHES.

can be had elsewhere w ll do well to give us a call,

s we have purchased a great many goods at auction at a great sacrifice.

HALL & BROTHER.

WANTS.

YOUNG LADY WANTED as Sales woman in the Fancy and Trimming busine Pa. avenue, between 8th and 9th sts. may 30-eo8t

eorgetown from the 1st of June to November .-

senators, Members, and o hers who wish to retire from the heat and dust of the city will find it a most

healthy and desirable situation and in an agreeable

neighborh: ol. The house has a large yard and garden, with some fruit, and near the British Minis-

ters. If the house is not immediately disposed of the family being small, who now occupy it, can ac

board at 25 cents per day.

feb 2—1v B. M. & W. L. CAMPBELL.

FOR SALE AND RENT.

DRUG STORE for sale in a thriving part of

Druggist," through the (ity Post Office.

May 29—eo3t

TOUSES FOR RENT .- I have for ren

These house have from seven to ten rooms each

woodsheds and a stable, and pumps of excellent

looking the railroad and a large portion of the city, and having the Capitol in full view. The approach

to them is by H street, Delaware Avenue, and M street, graded and graveled. The soil of the lots is

generally good, and capable of being made very pro

An omnibus now runs twice a day between these

houses and the President's square, by way of M street, Delaware avenue, H street, 7th street and

Pennsylvania avenue; leaving the houses at about

requise exercise either by walking, or by manual

TORE FOR RENT.—The spacious warehouse on

Pennsylvania ave., so long occupied by Messrs. B. I. Semmes & Bro., as a wholesale grocery and

liquor store is now for rent. Possession given immediately. Apply to B. I. Semmes or M. G. Emery.

E. FISHER & CO., FRENCH STEAM SCOURERS, West 11th street, seven doors

above Pennsylvania avenue, Washington, will thor-

oughly cleanse all kinds of Lad es' and Children's

silk, velvet, or woollen Dresses-Gentlemen's Coa's,

Pants. Vests and Cravats, without shrinking or tak-

ing off the natural gloss. Also, Shawls, Curtains,

overs, Ribbons, Fancy Shoes, Silk Bonnets, Gloves

Spots of oil, ice cream, Lemonade, &c., taken

N. B -- Please send your orders early in the week

may 25-d2w&2aw2w WM. P. SHEDD, Agt.

DLACKWOOD'S MAGAZINE for May

beautifully engraved and colored plates of

est specimens of his inimitable humor and sa-

LIME-LIME-LIME.

SEELY'S PATENT KILN IN FULL BLAST.-S. J

Plasterers, and all others using Lime, that he is now

manufacturing a superior quality of LIME, and of-

fers it for sale at the reduced price of 85 cents per

barrel at the Kiln, corner of Virginia avenue and

OLD AND THE GOSPEL -Prize Essays on the

Feriptural Duty of giving in proportion to

Daniel, A Model for Young Men .- A series of lec-

The Divine Character Vindicated-A Review of

or. Beecher's "Conflict of Ages;" by Rev. Moses Bal-

Uncle Jerry's Letters to Young Methers; compiled

Sunlight Through the Mist; or Conversations be

Struggles for Life; or the Autobiegraphy of a Dis-

Theological Essays and other Papers, by Thos. De

GRAY & BALLANTYNE, Seventh street.

Sentinel

500 YARDS Striped and Plaid Silks at

500 do neat checked India Silks of very superior

The above goods were bought at Auction and will

STAGE LINE TO BLADENSBURG.

The subscriber takes this method of informing the public, that he will on the first day of June ensuing.

establish and start a STAGE CONVEYANCE for

persons who desire, or prefer this mode of traveling to and from WASAINGTON, BLADENSBURG and

ELLAVILLE. It will be found a great convenience,

especially between the hours of the cars starting and

tronage, he will devote his best energies personally

Fare, 25 cents each way. E. P. GODMAN.
Place of starting in Washington, National Hotel,

ORANGE & ALEXANDRIA BAILROAD.

WHALEY'S OMNIBUSSES.

Tills line connects with the Steamer "GEORGE

Passengers taking this line can breakfast and dine both going and coming, on board the beat.

the Gallery formerly known as "Thompson's."

TOILET ARTICLES for Gentlemen

lon's Hair Invigorator, Barry's Tricopherous, Lyon's Kathairon, Bazin's Lustrale, and Gueland's Antique Cil for the Hair.

Brown, Windsor, Cleaver's Honey and other Soap Head Brushes, Tooth and Nail do.. Combs, &c.

A large assortment at LANE'S
Gentlemen's Furnishing Store,

Lubin's Extracts for the handkerchief, Pha-

Persons wishing to leave Washington by this line

AND THIS IS THE PLACE.

Pa avenue, between 41/2 and 6th sts.

Pa. avenue, near 41/4 st.

PAGE" and the cars at each end of the route.

corner of 6th street and Pa. avenue.

returning to and from this city.

In this new enterprise, for which he solicits pa

Corner 8th street, opposite Centre Market.

1000 to cents, very good and cheap 1000 yards rich Black Silks, from 50 cts up

The above goods be sold at very low prices.

WM. R. RILEY,

ures by Rev. W A. Scott, New Orleans.

Voices of Dead, by Rev. John Cumming.

Castleman's Plain Sermons for Servants.

ween a Mother and her Children; by A Lady.

J. H. GRIFFIN.

Superintendent.

SEELY respectfully informs the Bricklayers,

White Crape Shawls done up equal to new.

f you wish the work done the same week.

AMOS KENDALL

MRS. HERMAN

easterly from the Capitol.

Post Office and Patent Office.

labor in a garden.

due increase of rent.

the premises.

same street, or to mys

Washington, May 19-2w

out without cleaning the whole.

The utmost punctuality warranted.

Behind the Scenes, by Lady Bulwer

All the newspapers for this week

Canal street.

may 17-1m*

means and income.

by Ann E. Porter.

enting Minister.

National Magazine for June.

quality

may 29-1m

may 24-1w*

may 23-1m

right gallery.

may 27-dlw

uincey.

may 30-3t*

WANTED-A responsible tenant for a new and well furnished HOUSE on the Heights of

By GREEN & SCOTT, Auctioneers. RUSTRE'S SALE of a Desirable Residence -By virtue of a deed of trust recorded in Liber J A No. 51, folio 347, &c., one of the land records for Washington county, in the District of Columbia. I will offer at public sale the eastern half of Lot No. in Square or reservation A, with the improvements, a desirable brick dwelling house. The sale to take place on the premises, on Missouri avenue, between 3d and 4% str., on TUESDAY he 13th day of June, at 6 o'clock p. m.

AUCTION SALES.

Terms made known at the sale. W. H. WARD, Trustee. GREEN & SCOTT, Auctioneers. may 31-eol &is

commodate one or two gentlemen, or a small family on reasonable terms. Apply on Washington street, first house on the left, above West, Georgetown. BY D. B. CAMPBELL & CO. E. N. STRATTON, Auctioneer. TEW FRAME DWELLING on 12th street at and tion -On WEDNESDAY, May 31st, at 6 o'c'l p. m., on the princes, we shall self Lot 8, of David-son's sul division of Square 315, 25 feet on 12 h sts WANTED-A young WOMAN, to do the general Must have a good recommendation for nestness and west, by 100 feet deep, between Massachusetts avenue and M streets north, and improved by a new, industry. Liberal wages given. Apply to J. W. Thompson, G street, between 12th and 13th, north subs'antial frame Dwelling, containing seven rooms with wood house, &c , being a very desirable and may 27-4t healthy location. WANTS NEGROES .- The subscribers are Also, Lot No. 10, of Davidson's subdivision, in th all times in the market buying SLAVES, pay

same square, 25 by 100 feet. ng the highest cash prices. Persons having Slaves Terms for House and Lot: One half cash; residue for sale will please call at 242 PRATT STREET, Balin twelve months, with interest, satisfactorily setimore, Md., (Slatter's old stand.) Slaves taken on For Lot No. 10: One-half cash; residue in sixteen and twenty-four months, with interest, satisfactori-

secured.

Conveyancing at the cost of purchasers. The above sale is postponed on OR RENT-A three-story brick HOUSE, on 16 h account of the inclemency of the weather, until to-morrow, (THURSDAY.) June 1st, at the same hour. street, opposite Commodore Morris' residence. It has nine good rooms, and is altegether a very genteel residence, and is near St. John's Chorch.

Rent \$250 per annum, payable quarterly. Enquire By E. S. WRIGHT, Auctioneer. (ARPENTER'S TOOLS, BENCHES, OLD IRON TWO LET-A small brick HOUSE, on H street, be &c., at Auction .- On SATURDAY next, the 3d tween 12th and 13th streets, with eight rooms and cellar. Inquire of J. W. BARKER, on H street of June, at 12 o'clock m., I shall sell without reserve, at the late residence of Mr. Duffey, in Bryanbetween 11th and 12th streets. may 30—ec3t* own, a large and valuable assortment of-RUG STORE FOR SALE .- A small and neat

Carpenters' Tools, Benches Lumber, Crow Pars, Wheelbarrows Drills, Trucks, Sash, &c. E. S. WRIGHT,

By GREEN & SCOTT, Auctioneers. several new convenient houses, with lets of two acres of ground attached to each, situated on a N FRIDAY, 21 June, at 6 o'clock p. m., we shall sell, in front of the premises, west half of Lot o. 23, in Square 724, fronting 28 feet 9 inches on new street parallel with Boundary street, running north D street, between 1st and 2d streets east, runalong the top of the ridge west of the railroad where north D street, between alley.
ning back 102 feet to an alley.
GREEN & SCOTT, t leaves the city, a little more than a mile northncluding a kitchen, with several closets and cellar,

YON'S KATHAIRON, the best article for restor water near at hand. The situation is beautiful, overing and preserving the hair; Bazin's Orienta Drops and other extracts; Lubin's Extracts; Cologne' Oriental Crystals, I dozen to the box, (20 cents per box.) Perfumery of all kinds, Toilet and Shaving Soar every variety; Chrystaline Wash Balls do in bars Toilet Powders, Tooth Powders, Tooth Paste, Shaving WM. P. SHEDD, 11th st. above Pa. avenue. may 20-tf

5th of JUNE, 1854. ELLLING at COST PRICES until the above date half-past eight e'clock, a. m., and half-past two p. m.; to reduce our large stock of goods, including returning, after brief stands at the War, Navy and Freasury Departments, the Centre Market, General WATCHES. JEWELRY, and These houses are peculiarly adapted for the residences of Clerks and others of sedentary habits, who FANCY ARTICLES,

WARRINER & SEMKEN, Jewellers, Pa. ave, betw. 9th and 10th sts. may 22-2w* TRIAL OF MATT. F. WARD,-Full

The houses and lots will be let as they stand, with large shed containing a stall for a horse, and an out-building, at the very low rent of TWO HUNDRED and authentic Report of the Speeches delivered DOLLARS per annum, payable monthly. If other on the occasion, and by Alfred Allen, Esq., Attorney improvements be wanted, they will be made with a for the Commonwealth The Religion of the Northmen, by Rudolph Key-Apply to Wm. Stickney, Esq., occupying a house ser, Professor of History in the University of Nor- built frame Houses, situated in Square 297, at the

> Reverence in the Sanctuary, by a Layman Just published and for sale at TAYLOR & MAURY'S Bookstore, near 9th st.

THE KNOW SOMETHINGS -If you wish to know something to your interest, just call at Brown's Theap Cash Store and see the cheap auction bargain n DRY GOODS. Embroidered Curtain Muslin-1834 cts.; Dotted Muslin, 16 cts.; Swiss Muslin, 10 cts.; Lace and bilk Mantles, cheap, Parasols, Bonnets, Mitts, Dress Goods, some black Silk Berege, only 1834 cts.; and a thousand other articles from auction. Also, a good stock of Shoes, Gaiters, &c. The pass word to admit you in is cheap goods. All can join this association. Come and try.
BROWN'S Cheap Cash Store, Corner of 7th and I sts.

FOR SALE—At my Wood Yard on Maryland avenue, at the Canal Bridge near the Capitol. where the best bargains in this city are soid,) quantity of PAINTS of superior quality, where specimens may be seen or samples taken. Orders taken for White Oak Lumber All sold low for ash may 22-1m

SHIRTS-SHIRTS: Superior Dress Shirts of linen and cotton, with plain, French, em-Ladies World of Fashion for May, a Journal of the Courts of London and Paris, containing broidered, and colored bosoms. An additional sup ply just received at LANE'S Gentiemen's Furnishing Store, may 27-dlw Pa. avenue, near 41/2 st.

DR J. ALLAN CARMICHAEL WILL The Dodd Family-one of Lever's finget and funnicontinue as heretofore to practice his profession in the City of Washington. Office, Pa. ave., north side, bet. 12th and 13th sts And everything in the Magazine & Book business.

JOE SHILLINGTON'S Bookstore,

Cor. Pa. av. and 4½ st., Odeon Building. may 9-1m* PRENCH SHIRT BOSOMS, Wrist-

bands, and Ruffles, a new supply just received LANE'S Gentlemen's Furnishing Store, Pa. avenue, near the corner of 41/2 street. may 27 - d1w

GENTLEMEN'S DRAWERS, of Lin-eu, Cotton, Gauze Merino. do. Cotton, a full assortment of all sizes, just received at Gentlemen's Furnishing Store,

Pa. avenue, near the corner of 41/2 street. may 27-dlw A LOT of OLD NEWSPAPERS FOR SALE AT THIS OFFICE.

riety of FANS, which we will dispose of low disp, Toilet, Dressing, Tuck, Side and Focket Combs Hat, Clothes, Hair, Tooth and Nail Brushes; Hair il, Pomatum, Cologne, Extracts, Baskets, Grace Hoops, Canes, Riding Whips, Viano Stools, Piane Covers, &c , &c. JOHN F. ELLIS, Pa. ave., bet. 9th and 10th sts.

MAYOR'S PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by the act entitled "An act relating to dogs," approved 25th July, 1829, and the act amerding the same approved 27th April, 1838. it is provided "that whenever it shall be made to appear to the satisfaction of the Mayor that any animal of the dog kind within this city shall be deem-d and considered mad, it shall be the duty of the Mayor to issue his proclamation requiring that all animals of the dog kind shall be kept centined for such number of days as he shall deem expedient and proper to state in such proclamation, not ex ceeding ninety days; and it shall be the duty of the city constables and lawful for any other person t kill and bury all and every dog going at large con trary to the said proclamation," &c. Now, therefore, it having been made to appear t my satisfaction that there are "animals of the dog kind" mad within this city, I do he'eby gire notice to all whom it may concern that "all animals of the dog kind" in this city are required to be kept confined for and during the term of sixty days from the date hereof; and the police officers of this Corporation are required to enforce the law in resp c to all such as may be found going at large contrary to this preclamstion. Given under my hand at the Ma; or's office, in the city of Washington, this 20th day of May, 1854. JOHN W. MAURY,

may 22-eolw&M5w OLD POINT HOTEL. THIS favorite summer resort, celebrated for it-I fine sea bathing and refreshing sea breeze will be opened for the reception of guests on THUESDAY June 1st. With the recent improvements, therough renovation, and paintings, the establishment wil present additional inducements to invalids, and per sons seeking a delightful summer residence. With the experience of the undersigned, after tive assistants, and his personal attention to the business, he hopes to merit a full share of the public I a OLD POINT COMFORT, VA. C. C. WILLARD. may 10-eot1stJune

SUGAR, MOLASSES, NUTS, AND Fruit—50 bble. J S Lovering & Co's refined Sugar 80 do N. O Molasses 500 pounds Walnuts 1000 do Cream Nuts 1000 do Almonds

25 bush Ground Nuts Also, on consignment-150 bushels Orange and Lemons
For sale by MURRAY & SEMMES. For sale by may 26-ec3t STRAW BONNETS, RIBBONS, CAPS, &c.

Daguerreotypes for 25 cents and upwards.
For the accommodation of those who want cheap W ISHING to reduce the present stock on hand I will sell the above Goods less than cost. pictures, Wilson & Cb. have fitted up a fine Gallery in Lane & Tucker's Building, directly over Straw and gimp Bonnets, 25c. to \$1 50 English Straw and Rutland, cheap Remember the name and be sure and find the Florence Braids and Gimps at cost Bonnet Ribbons all prices Fash, Cap, and Neck Ribbons. Dreis Capa 75c. to \$1 25, such as sold \$1 50 Flowers, Fans, Braids

Gimps, Buttons &c . &c. Also, a fine assortment of EMBROIDERIES, which A. TATE, Pa. avenue. will sell low. may 23-e02w NOTICE of the establishment of additional land office in the TERRITORY of MINNE-

In pursuance of the set of Congress approved April 12th, 1854, entitled "An Act to establish additional land districts in the Territory of Minnesota," it is 25 PIECES Embroidered Curtain Muslin, at \$2 for 12 yards, worth \$3 hereby declared and made known that the land of-fice for the "Root River district," has been located for the present, by the President of the United States at the town of BROWNSVILLE, and that for the "Minneapolis district," at the town of MINNEAPOLIS, both on the Mississippi river.

Given under my hand, at the city of Washington, this twenty-third day of May, A. D. 1854.

JOHN WILSON, Commissioner of General Land Office. may 24-2aw6w

AUCTION SALES.

By GREEN & SCOTT, Auctioneers. RAME HOUSE AND LOT in Oregon street, at Auction - On WEDNESDAY, the 31st inst., at 51/2 o'clock p m , a Frame House and Lot situate i on Oregon street, in the subdivision of the old poorhouse square, between M and N streets north, and 6th and 7th sts. west. The lot fronts 12 feet, running back 105 feet. Terms: One four h cash; balance in six, 12, and 18 months, for notes bearing interest from the day

GREEN & SCOTT,

By Jas. C. McGUIRE, Auctioneer. THE LAST OPPORTUNITY TO SECURE west side. -On THURSDAY, the lat day of June, at 5 o'clock p m., I shall expose for sale that beautifully located building Lot No. 26, in Square No. 2,2 This lot is fifty-six fest nine inches front, (between brick buildings,) extending back 104 feet to an a ley 29 feet wide, and is situated on the west side of 13th street wes , between G and H streets north. Located within a few minutes' walk of most of the Churches in the city, the Public Departments, Pennsylvania avenue, and Schools. (a Public Water Reservoir not over 100 feet distant, together with its excellent neighborhood and admitted superior locality as to health, renders it one of the very best building lots in Washington. For persons desiring to erect three houses to rent, in view of no waste of ground and locality, it has not its equal in the city; and for pe sons wishing to erect two first class houses, none superior. One half of the lot will first be sold wi h the privilege of the whole. Terms: One third cash; balance in five, ten. fifteen, and twenty months, with interest, secured by deed of trust on the premises.

All conveyancing at expense of purchas r. Title indisputable. J. C. McGUIRE, may 25-dads By J. C. McGUIRE, Auctioneer.

AND SOME FURNITURE AND HOUSEHO! D. Effects at Public Sale—On THURSDAY, the 1st of June, at 10 e'clock a. m., I shall sell, at the residence of Lewis Warrington, Esq., on the north-side of H street, between 19th and 20th streets, all his Furniture a. d Housekeeping Effects, viz: Rosewood 7-octave Pians Forte, made by Halle'. Invis & Co., Bos'on Walt ut French Sofa, Arm, and Parlor Chairs hand

somely carved, and upholstered in Maroon Satin Pamask Gethic reception and Fancy Chairs Marble-top Sofa Table, Astral Lamp Ladies' Walnut Writing Cabinet Chinese Chess Table and Teapoys Gilt Mantel Clock, Brackets Beautiful Chinese Vases, Card Receivers Chinese Table Ornaments, Punch Bowl Maroon, damask, and lace Curtains, Cornice Tapestry, Brussels, and three-ply Carpets Hall and stair Carpeting, Rugs, Mats Walunt hall Furniture, hall Lamp Mahogany Elizabethan Bedsteads, Dressing Bureaus Wardrobes, Matiresses Marble-top Washstands, Toilettets

Enamelled Cottage Suite, Window Shades Extension Table, dining Chairs Side Tables, &c. French China dinner, teo, and coffee Sets Silver plated and Tea Descert Sets Liquor Stand, Castors Ivory-handle Table Cutlery, Glassware, &c. Together with a gene: al assortment of Kitcher

Terms: \$30 and under cash; over \$30 a credit of sixty and ninety days, for notes satisfactorily endorsed, bearing interest. JAS. C. McGUIRE,

BY D B. CAMPBELL & C). N. STRATTON, Auctioneer. TALUABLE IMPROVED PROPERTY ON THE ISLAND -Three two-story Frame Dwellings On FRIDAY, June 2d, a' 6 o'clock, on the premis a, we shall sell three two story substantial and wellcorner of 12th street west and C st. south. Title indisputable

Conveyancing at the expense of purchaser.

Term: liberal and made known at sale.

may 29-dts By J. C. McGUIRE, Auctioneer. ESTRABLE DWELLIEG HOUSE ON NINTH street, at Public saie -On FRIDAY afternoon, June 21, at 6 o'clock, on the premises, I shall se part of lot No. 7 in square 405, fronting about 15:1 on 9th street west, between G and H streets porth, running back 90 feet, containing 1,471% square it more or less, with the improvements, consisting o a substantial and well built twe-story, basement and attic brick dwelling house, containing two parlors four chambers, dining room, and kitchen. This property is handsomely situated, in a centra

part of the city, within a few minutes' walk of the Post Office, Patent Office, Centre Market, and the Avenue, and should command the attention of bus-Terms: One-half cash; the residue in 9 and 1 months, for no'es satisfactorily secured bearing in-J. C. McGUIRE,

Auctioneer

may 25-eod

By J. C. McGUIRE, Auctioneer. QUEERIOR PARIS FURNITURE, RARE AND beautiful Pictures, splendid Table Services of bronze, Gilt and Plated Ware, rich French Chien Dinner and Pessert Sets, Crystal cut glass Glassware Sevres China, gilt and bronze Manuel Clocks, Grnaments &c.—On TUESDAY morning, June 6th, at 10 o'clock, at the residence of his Excellency the French Minister, (who is about to change his residence in town.) I shall sell all the Furniture and Effects of [73; yellow at 79 ets. Cotton unchanged. Stocks his large and well-appointed establishment, com-

Complete suite of rose wool parlor Furniture suites of mahogany parlor and dining-room Furni Handsome sets of carvel mahogany Cha; ber Fur niture Wilton, Brussels, and three ply Carpets, Rugs Suites of Window Curtains, Cornices, Shades, &c. Large gilt-frame Mirrors, with marble slabs and

brackets Four original Marine Paintings, by Tronville Six Louis XV. Pastels by Mdme Coffier Rosewood, wainut, and mahogany Sofas and Chai of various styles Mahogany Etegeres, Extension, Card and Breakfas

Large mahogany Writing Cabinet, a rare and beau article, made to order Patent Reading Chairs Bookshelves, ladies' superior Secretary

Mirror front Wardrobes Different and Complete sets of Mantel Ornaments consisting of Sevres China Gilt and brosze Mantel Clocks

Candelabras, Vases, Brackets Chandeliers Magnificent set of heavy gilt Table Ornamen's Complete set of Plaquet Stands for dinner table Beautifully decorated French China Dinner, Dessert and Coffee Sets Rice engraved and plain lined Crystal Cut Glass ware, comprising Decanters, Water Bottles. Goblets, Tumblers, Finger Bowls, Cham-

pagnes, Wines, &c. Rosewood Liquor Case, rich inlaid Venetian Glassware, richly gilt and engraved Wire landscape painted Window Screens Superior hair Mattresses, Bolsters and Pillows Giit and steel Fire Sets, style Louis Quatorze

Also, at 4 o'clock-Lot or Superior French Wines of various brands Together with a very large assortment of Copper and Kitchen Utensils Terms: \$50 and under cash; over that sum

credit of two and four months, for notes satisfact

rily secured, bearing interest. JAS. C. McGUIRR. BY D. B. CAMPBELL & CO. E. N. STRATTON, Auctioneer. TALUABLE UNIMPROVED PROPERTY in the First Ward, by order of the Honorable the Orphans' Court .- On MONDAY, June 12th, 1854, at 6 o'clock p m , on the premises, we shall sell the we tern part of Lot No. 7, in Square No. 73, fronting 3 feet on K street, and running back to a 30 foot al-

ley, containing about 3 858 square feet. Terms: One-third cash; the residue in equal in staiments, at three and six months, with inter s. from the day of sale, to be satisfactorily secured and subject to the confirmation of the Circuit Court of the county and District of Columbia. Title ndisputable. Conveyancing at the If the terms of sa'e are not complied with in six

days thereafter, the property will be sold at the risk and expense of the purchaser. may 13-SW&ds WASHINGTON & ALEXANDRIA BOATS FARE FIVE CENTS.—CAR-RIAGES AT LOW RATES.— The Steemers GEO. WASHINGTON and THOS. COLLYER will, on and after this date, run at the

JOB CORSON, SAMUEL GEDNEY, JACOB CHICKERING PIANOS. We have just received our third in voice of these superier instruments, of from other ce, ebrated American and European manufactories, the largest and most complete tock of Pianos ever offered in the District. Old Pisnos taken in part payment. mev 24— HILBUS & HITZ' Music Depot

above rates.

TTENTION : Attention !- This is to A give notice to my friends and the public in general, that I shall leave this country, on a pleasure trip to England, on the ?d of June next. All persons having business with me, will come forward without delay, or else wait till my return, which if no accident befalls me, will be in the course of three months. I shall go in the steamer City of Manches JOHN PAT H ter, from Philadelphia. may 2f-3t*

BOOK BINDING. IN all its varieties, neatly executed, on the most reasonable terms, by

THOMAS TRIPLETT & CO. Pennsylvania avenue, south side, 2d door ap 4-iftf from 13th street. PLEASURE TRIPS.

The Steamers GEO. WASH-INGTON or THOS. COLLYER can be chartered for public or select parties to visit Mount Vernon, Fort Washington White House Pa-vilion, or any other places on the Potomac r ver. The scenery on the river is very handsome. For particulars apply to the President of the Company or the Captains of the Boats.
Schools taken at reduced prices.

JOB COLSON,

SAMUEL GEDNEY,

may 23_MWAKIM

may 23-MW&Flm

TELEGRAPHIC. BY HOUSE'S PRINTING TELEGRAPH.

EXPRESSLY FOR THE EVENING STAR. The Fugitive Slave Excitement. Boston, May 30 .- In the case of Burns, toay, Mr. Ellis, counsel for the defense, introduced his testimony. The first witness swore most positively that he saw Burns, the alleged fegitive, in Boston, on the 1st of March, and suployed him on the 4th at Mattapan Iron

orks, South Boston. His testimony was onferraced by Mr. Drow, the book-keeper at lattapan Iron Works. Both witnesses were closely cross-examined. out their testimony remains unshaken. The testimony so far is convincing that Burns was in Boston three weeks before the date of his escape, as alteged in the complaint. Ti e general opinion is that he is really the slave of Suttle, but that a fatal error in date has been

made in the complaint. James G Whittemore, a member of the common council, and formerly director in the Matpag Iron Works, Stephen Mattocks and B. Gilman, employees at the same works, and ohn Favor, a master carpenter, all testified positively to seeing Burns in Boston before March 8.

The three first named notice particularly he marks by which the claimant professes to dentify him. Horace B.own, a police officer, ormerly employed at the Mattapan Works, testified to the same effect. The testimony for the defense here closed, and the court adjourned till to morrow.

Bosros, May 30. 9 P. M .- An adjournment has taken place until to-morrow. A company of U. S. soldiers, from New

Hampshire, have just arrived. The anti-Slavery Convention is now in see ion. The most rabid and incendiary resolutions have been introduced and supported by corresponding speeches One speaker declared hat "he would rejoice to see Burns stab the

S. Commissioner dead on the spot! The examination of the fugitive slave will probably last several days, as the claimant has not yet been able to produce all his witnesses.

A vessel has been chartered to remove Burne in case be is remanded. No attempts at resistance will be made unless the troops are withdrawn. Bosron, May 31 .- The examination of the fugitive slave case has been resumed. The

taken place. The military continue on duty. Explosion of Powder Wagons--Terrible Loss of Life.

excitement is subsiding. The crowd outside

has diminished. As yet no outbreaks have

WILMINGTON, (Del.) May 31st .- Two of Duont's powder wagons blew up this morning, inside of the city limits. The drivers and all the horses were killed. A stone house, near by, was blown down, and it is supposed that all the inmates are killed Bishop Lee's residence was badly injured. Two barns were fired, and are still burning. Failure of Cotton Houses in New Orleans.

New ORLEANS, May 27.- There has been great excitement here in consequence of the the failure of Wright, Williams & Co . cotton factors, and Moses Greenwood & Co., forwardng commission merchants. Other cotton houses are expected to follow. Wright's liabilities are nearly two millions. He had connections North and in Europe.

Ohio River.

WHERLING, May 31 .- The water is ten and half feet deep in the channel. The river at Pittsburg is in fine navigable condition.

Baltimore Market. BALTIMORE, May 31.-Flour-Howard street and City Mills held at \$8 50. Wheat; sales of 5000 bushels red at \$2a2 03; white \$2a2 10. Corn; sales of 12,000 bushels of white at 72a74; yellow at 73a74. Rye; sales at \$1 14. Oats; sales at 56 a 60 cents. Prices of other articles unchanged.

Philadelphia Market. PHILADELPHIA, May 31.-Flour-sales at \$3.75; red wheat at \$2.05; white at \$2.14; corp

-sales at 77 a 79 cts.

New York Markets. New York, May 31 .- Flour firm-sales of 1.000 bbls. State at \$8 50 a \$8.68; Southern at \$9.12 a \$9.31. Wheat firm-sales of 10.000 bushels Genesee at \$2 40; red at \$2; white at \$2.24. Corn-sales of 35,000 bushels mixed at

Presbyterian General Assembly (New School.) PHILADELPHIA, May 30 .- The Assembly adjourned sine die this afternoon. The subject of Papish baptism was indefinitely postponed.

Anti-Slavery Annual Meeting Boston, May 30 .- The annual meeting of the Massachusetts Anti-Slavery Society commenced at the Melodeon to-day. Characteristic resolutions were presented for action, and

the most intemperate harangues were made. AUCTION BARGAINS. JUST RECEIVED— 200 yards Lawns, fast colors, 121/2 cents. worth

1000 stripe and plaid Silk at 6214, worth \$1
50 pieces embroidered and detted Swiss Muslins 100 do plaid Cambrics and plain Muslins 60 do plain and printed Bareges, very cheap 25 do black and plain Silks, very low 30 do plaid Muslins, 18 cents, worth 25 25 new Mantillas, at reduce 1 prices

Also, Hosiery, Gloves, Mitts, Gauze Merino Veste Embroideries, rich black Lace for mantles and With a general assortment of staple and House urnishing Goods. All of which have been bought very low and be sold according y. 65 Observe that all articles are warranted

Prove as represented.

WAXWELL, SEARS & COLLRY, 7th street, three doors above Pe. avenue.

United States Patent Office, Washington, May 15, 1854.

N the petition of Richard Montgomery & Lewis W. Harris, of Sangerfield, New York, praying for the extension of a patent granted to them for an improvement in the Mill or breaking and rinding bark, for seven years from the expiration of said patent, which takes place on the 12th day of July, 1854— It is ordered, that the said petition be heard at the Catent Office on Monday, the 24th day of July, 1854, at 12 o'clock m; and all persons are notified to appear and show cause, if any they have, why said pe

tion ought not to be granted

Persons opposing the extension are required to file in the Patent Office their objections, specially set forth in writing, at least twenty days before the day of hearing; all testimony filed by either party to be used at the said hearing must be taken and transmitted in accordance with the rules of the office, which will be furnished on application. The testimony in the case will be closed on the 14th of July; depositions, and other papers relied on as testimony, must be filed in the office on or before the morning of the 15th day of July, 1854; the ar-

guments, if any, within ten days thereafter. Ordered also, that this notice be published in the Union, Intelligencer, and Evening Star, Washington, D. C.; Pennsylvanian, Philadelphia, Pa.; Scientific American, New York; Post, Boston, Mass., and Inquirer, Cincinnati, Ohio, once a week for three successive weeks previous to the 24th day of July next, the day of hearing. CHARLES MASON,

P. S .- Editors of the above papers will please copy

Commissioner of Patents.

and send their bills to the Patent Office, with a peper containing this notice. may 16-26w FRENCH SHIRT BOSOMS.—The rapid increase in the sale of the new SHIRT BOSOMS warrants us in presenting to the trade and our customers a very large assortment of the newest styles and at the most moderate prices. Families and shirt-makers will find it cheaper to buy these bosoms than to make them. The trade supplied at wholerale prices at STEVENS'S ap 22 -eotf Sales Room, Browns' Hotel.

AMERICAN & FOREIGN AGENCY. Opposite the Treasury Department, Wathington
UNDER the direction of AARON HAIGHT PALMER
Counsellor of the Supreme Court of the United States, and Consul General of the Republic of Boundor, for the United States, established for the prosecution and recovery of claims of American citizens on foreign Governments; or the United States before Congress, the Executive Departments of the Federal Government and Boards of Commissioners sitting in Washington; recovery of debts, legacies, and inheritances in the United States and foreign countries; investments in United States and State securities; collections generally, remittances, and other money business. Having efficient and reliable correspondents in the several States and Terratories of the Union, in Mexico, Central and South

America, the chief cities of Europe, in Australia, India, and China, the undersigned is prepared to give his prompt and faithful attention to all business that may be confided to his agency.

feb 15—Wly

AARON H. PALMER. A CARD.—The undersigned respectfully in-

commenced the manufacture of MIN a RAL WATER in this city, and has purchased the World's fair premium Soda Water Apparatus, which enables him to furnish the public with a pure and superiar orders will be thankfully received at his corner of 41% and N streets, at d promptly to.

may 1-lm* late of Georgetown, D.